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SNYDER,

HASSLER &amp; MACBAIN

Have opened a full line of LADIES'

DRESS  
GOODS,

in all the latest novelties at

BOTTOM PRICES.

WOOL CASHMERE IN BLACK  
and colors, 28 inches wide, 25 cents  
a yard.WOOL HENRIETTES, 46 INCHES  
wide, 39 cents a yard.ALL WOOL DOUBLE FOLD TRI-  
cot at 25 cents a yard.SPECIAL VALUES IN TABLE LIN-  
ens, towels and napkins.DRESS GINGHAMS IN ALL THE  
latest plaids and stripes at 8, 10, and  
12 1/2 cents a yard.LADIES' JERSEY SUITS AT \$2.75  
and \$4.00, trimmed in black and  
white braid.SNYDER,  
HASSLER & MACBAIN.

134 Salem Ave., Roanoke, Va.

--NEW--

WHOLESALE GROCERY

10:00:00:00:

FISHBURNE, JONES &amp; CO.,

Wholesale Grocers,

—AND—

Merchant Millers,

near the corner of Henry street and  
Railroad avenue, are prepared to  
furnish the mercantile public, goods  
in their line, and

FLOUR, MEAL, CHOP, &amp;C.,

of their own manufacture. For in-  
stance their noted brands of best  
patent SNOW FLAKE FAMILY  
FLOUR, &c., at prices which will  
compare with any markets in the  
land. They have leased of the Ro-  
anoke Milling company their mill  
property, which will be managed as  
heretofore by our

MR. B. A. JONES,

who is a member of both concerns.  
Our business will be strictly whole-  
sale. Our business will be charac-  
terized byENERGY,  
PROMPTNESS,  
AND INTEGRITY.WE respectfully ask of the Mercantile  
public a chance for us to prove to  
them that we will make it to their  
interest to give us a trial. Our busi-  
ness will be represented on the  
road by the following gentlemen,  
viz:E. T. KINDRED, JR.,  
W. T. JONES,  
ROBT. W. McFARLAND.FISHBURNE, JONES & CO.,  
ROANOKE, VA., January 23, 1890.DYEING,  
CLEANING AND REPAIRINGYou will save money by bring-  
ing your dirty clothes to be cleaned  
and repaired to me. Charge  
moderate. Work first class.E. Walsak,  
Corner Campbell and Henry streets  
Roanoke, Va.

## ROSENBAUM BROS.

Are Receiving Daily Their

SPRING STOCK

—OF—

DRESS : : GOODS,

Consisting of

FOREIGN

—AND—

Domestic Fabrics.

Fall Assortment of

SHEETINGS, COUNTERPANES,

WHITE GOODS, TABLE

LINEN, NAPKINS,

TOWELS, &amp;C.

100 Different Styles of Babies' Caps.

—FINE LINE OF—

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

We make a specialty in

BLACK DRESS GOODS,

AND MOURNING BONNETS,

AND VEILS.

ROSENBAUM BROS.,

42 Salem avenue.

P. S.—We will announce to the  
ladies of Roanoke in a short time when  
we will have our Spring Millinery  
Opening of Parisian Hats and Bonnets.

C MARKLEY'S

Checkered Front Grocery

SALEM AVENUE,

MOOMAW BLOCK,

Is well supplied with a full fresh and

varied stock of fancy and select

GROCERIES

—O—

And all kinds of

Fruit in Season.

FRESH OYSTERS,

DRESSED FOWLS

—AND—

CELERY - SALT

PRIDY &amp; DUNLAP

—DEALERS IN—

Stoves, Tinware and Housefurnish-

GOODS.

roofing and Spouting and Plumbing  
and Gas Fitting a specialty.  
JEFFERSON ST., ROANOKE, VA.

## TOWN TOPICS.

HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND  
THE CITY.

GATHERED BY OUR REPORTERS.

Banquet of Pythians Last Night  
Speeches, Toasts and Responses.  
Miss Norah Wootton Refused Bail,  
She is Remanded to Jail.Osceola Lodge, No. 47, Knights of  
Pythias, gave a grand supper at Ho-  
tel Felix last night. One hundred  
covers were laid, and the tables were  
loaded with all the delicacies that  
the market affords; no wine or cham-  
pagne, however, was dispensed. A  
large number of ladies added to the  
pleasures of the occasion by their  
presence. Everett Perkins, esq., was  
master of ceremonies, and introduced  
as the first speaker of the evening,  
Dr. H. E. Jones, who made an excel-  
lent address. She then paid a high  
tribute to the ladies present. Capt.  
S. S. Brooke proposed a toast to  
"Osceola Lodge, No. 47," which was  
responded to handsomely by Hon.  
John W. Woods. Prior to the ban-  
quet the Knights held a meeting in  
their hall in the Wright Block, when  
short addresses were made by Messrs.  
Everett Perkins, Capt. Brooke, Dr.  
Lewis, G. Pedigo and Hon. John W.  
Woods. An excellent orchestra dis-  
coursed pleasing strains of music  
during the evening, which had the  
effect of much enlivening the occa-  
sion.MONEY made is money  
saved; by paying cash for your  
groceries at BLOUNT'S Dia-  
mond Front, you can realize  
the truthness of this maxim.Wholesale prices to persons  
buying in quantities. Oil sold  
at night. Terms strictly Cash  
which secures the lowest pos-  
sible price. A trial order so-  
lited.

BAIL AGAIN REFUSED.

Miss Wootton Makes Another Effort  
to Get Free.  
Miss Norah Wootton, the erratic  
young lady who attempted to shoot  
Dr. Sims last Tuesday evening, made  
another unsuccessful attempt to  
obtain bail yesterday. Just before  
Judge Robertson's court adjourned  
her counsel, Mr. W. W. Berkely arose  
and in persuasive tones formally made  
a motion that his client be admitted  
to bail. The court promptly refused  
the motion and Mr. Wootton sat down  
again as if he hadn't expected any  
other outcome.Miss Wootton will remain in jail,  
where she is as comfortably situated  
as could be expected under the cir-  
cumstances. She is treated with con-  
sideration and spends her time in  
pacing the floor of the cell or reading.  
She also writes a good many letters,  
some of them to the newspapers, but  
they are not such as can be published.  
They show plainly, however, that her  
mind is not in a normal condition.Dr. Sims is deluged with letters and  
telegrams from friends in all parts of  
this and other states. Some of the  
correspondents of out of town papers  
telegraphed garbled reports. One of  
these, which had a wide circulation,  
was to the effect that the ball fired by  
Miss Wootton struck him on the  
cheek bone, glanced off and buried  
itself in the ceiling above. The doc-  
tor's friends are having a  
quiet fun at his expense joking him  
about his cheek. He gave up all  
hope of answering the letters received  
and the majority of his correspond-  
ents were sent a copy of the TIMES,  
which reported the affair at length.THE CRYSTAL SPRING LAND COM-  
PANY.A New Company Now Organized and  
Ready for Business.The charter of the Crystal Spring  
Land company was filed in the clerk's  
office yesterday. This company was  
organized a few days ago with a cap-  
ital stock of \$400,000, by the election of  
the following officers: President, H.  
S. Trout; vice-president, A. S. As-  
berry; secretary and treasurer, J. A.  
Jamison; Directors, S. B. Hays, W.  
Jamison, Joseph A. Gale, A. S. As-  
berry and H. S. Trout. The purposes  
for which the company is organized  
are to buy land in parcels or tracts  
for cash, or partly for cash and partly  
on credit; to receive hold or con-  
vey the same; to subdivide said land  
into smaller parcels, and such  
smaller parcels to sell and con-  
vey; to execute a deed or deeds of  
trust to secure any unpaid purchase  
price; to borrow money and to secure  
the same by a deed of trust on said  
land; to build houses; to construct  
bridges, streets and roads; to sell and  
lease said houses; to lay off parks and  
pleasure resorts and to lease the same.  
The company can hold real estate to  
the amount of 5,000 acres.

Hustings Court.

F. E. White against the Virginia  
Mutual Life Stock Insurance com-  
pany, assumpsit; judgment rendered  
for the plaintiff.  
William S. Dooley was appointed  
administrator for George L. Dooley,  
deceased, and five appraisers were  
appointed to appraise the personal  
property of said Dooley.  
W. F. Hynes against P. P. Petty-  
john, judgment rendered for the  
plaintiff in the sum of \$90.50.  
The Live Oak Distillery company  
against T. B. Coleman; judgment was  
rendered for the plaintiff.  
Paul Jones against T. B. Coleman;  
judgment was rendered for the plain-  
tiff.The only case to be tried today is  
that of C. Henderson, administra-  
tor, against Joseph A. Gale.  
McCarthy's Mishaps  
Manager Beekner announces today  
the engagement for Monday evening  
next of the famous Ferguson and  
Mack Company in a hilarious pro-  
duction of their successful farce "Mc-  
Carthy's Mishaps." The New Orleans  
Item refers to them in the following  
manner:  
"The St. Charles theatre was  
packed last night and for three hours  
the audience was convulsed with roars  
of laughter. McCarthy's Mishaps" is  
devoid of any dramatic situations or  
opportunities for any exhibition of  
historions, being a simple comedy in-  
tended to amuse.The specialties are very cleverly  
given, and numerous recalls were  
made upon the artists. Barney Fer-  
guson as Dennis McCarthy is good in  
his line of work. His make up is  
comical and his appearance on the  
stage is a signal for an outburst of  
laughter. The support is made up of  
clever artists.A beautiful rosewood or fancy case  
upright piano, 7 octaves, ivory keys,  
full metal frame, patent action, all  
rich and pure tone, and easy touch,  
all modern improvements, with hand-  
some stool and cover. Warranted five  
years, for \$250 cash and \$275 on easy  
payments, at the Hobbie Music com-  
pany, Lynchburg, Va.Don't travel without an accident  
ticket in the Travelers, for sale at  
mar13-3t

## TO ABATE A NUISANCE.

Property Owners Required to Con-  
nect their Premises with Sewers.  
Mayor Carr is making every effort  
to have enforced the law in relation  
to sewer connections which reads as  
follows: "The owner of each and  
every occupied tenement abutting in  
any manner upon a street or alley,  
along which runs a public sewer, shall  
be required to connect his premises  
with such sewer, and any person vi-  
olating this section, shall be proceeded  
against as for a nuisance." The mayor  
has heretofore been very lenient with  
parties violating this ordinance, but  
he intends to see that the law is en-  
forced and proper connections made.  
The sanitary condition of the city  
is excellent, and it is ab-  
solutely necessary that all waste wa-  
ter shall be properly carried off in  
order to keep up the city's reputation  
for health.Messrs. D. C. Moomaw, J. D. Smith  
and Mrs. M. H. Taylor, were sum-  
moned before his honor yesterday  
morning to answer the charge of  
"making a nuisance, to wit, failing  
to connect their premises with a pub-  
lic sewer contrary to section fifteen,  
of chapter twenty-four, of the city  
ordinances."All three of the parties failed to  
appear, and a mayor imposed a  
fine of \$3 on each.

## "PASTE AND DIAMONDS."

Charming Mattie Vickers Again in  
Roanoke.  
This is what the States of New Or-  
leans says of Miss Vickers who will ap-  
pear at the opera house tonight:  
"Gaylor's comedy drama, entitled  
"Jacqueline or Paste and Diamonds,"  
was produced at the St. Charles the-  
atre to a large and thoroughly ap-  
preciative audience. Mattie Vickers,  
the popular soubrette, appeared to  
excellent advantage as Jacqueline, with  
her fine diction, sweet singing and  
sprightly method she deserved and el-  
icited the greatest applause throughout.  
Miss Vickers' support, including Mr.  
Joseph M. Doner, who made a most  
favorable impression last evening, is  
quite acceptable. The play, like all  
plays written for a soubrette, is made  
up of a happy combination of all  
those things best calculated to give  
emphasis to the special talents of the  
star. The play, which will be pro-  
duced tonight and during the re-  
mainder of the week, is well worth  
seeing.—Daily States, N. O., Jan. 13th.

## AN ENTERPRISING FIRM.

Three Young Men Who Stand High  
in the Business Community.  
One of the first impressions of the  
stranger in Roanoke is the fact that  
there are so many young men in busi-  
ness here. Every way one turns he  
comes in contact with them, active,  
enterprising young men with a busi-  
ness air about them which speaks of  
the west. They are making a success  
in business, and the city is lucky in  
having them as citizens.One of the most enterprising and  
reliable real estate firms here is that  
of Dyer, Wingfield & Co. They have  
recently formed a co-partnership, but  
already they have made many friends,  
and their obliging and courteous man-  
ner commend them to all wishing to  
buy. They have for sale properties  
all over the city, and a handsome  
office at 108 Salem avenue, where they  
will always be glad to see those inter-  
ested in Roanoke real estate. Good  
teams are at their command, and it is  
a pleasure for them to show the prop-  
erty in their charge.The firm  
consists of N. C. Dyer, R. F. Wing-  
field and H. C. Ridgison.  
PERSONAL POINTS.Coinings and Golings of People we  
KnowMr. G. T. Greer, of Danville, is in  
the city prospecting.Mr. A. B. Clayton, of Bedford City,  
is in the city visiting relatives.Dr. C. Doggett, of Fincastle, was in  
the city yesterday.Messrs. Calloway Brown and Nelson  
Sale, of Bedford City, are in the city.Mr. W. W. Hicks, of Abingdon, is in  
the city prospecting.Judge George W. Richardson, of  
Marion, is registered at Hotel Felix.Mr. George E. Taylor, of the Mont-  
gomery White Sulphur Springs, is  
stopping at Hotel Felix.Virginia's mineral wealth is attract-  
ing attention everywhere, and the  
State has a great industrial future.Dr. Walter G. Bell, a prominent  
physician of Pittsylvania county, is  
dead.Mr. William C. Pendleton, of Mar-  
ion, clerk of the supreme court of  
appeals, is registered at Hotel Felix.Mr. Daniel McLean, who has been  
much indisposed for the past week,  
has entirely recovered and was in the  
city yesterday.Mr. H. Geismar returned last night  
from New York city, with his bride,  
nee Miss Annie Hofner, to whom he  
was married on the 2d of February.Mr. W. T. Felix, the efficient night  
clerk at Hotel Felix, has resigned his  
position and will leave tomorrow for  
Buchanan to take charge of a hotel  
there.Mr. A. C. Pendleton, clerk of the  
court at Wytheville, accompanied by  
his brother, A. G. Pendleton, was in  
the city yesterday prospecting and  
investing in real estate.Mr. A. R. Rosenberger, a banker,  
Mr. Jacob Clem and Professor J. N.  
Brennan, all of New Market, ar-  
rived in the city yesterday on a pros-  
pecting tour.Mr. John M. Tucker, Jr., has re-  
signed his position with the under-  
taking establishment of John M.  
Oakley & Co., and will leave in a few  
days for Florence, Ala., where he will  
enter into business.Geo. C. B. Hart, the New York  
artist who is making sketches in this  
section for publication, returned to  
Roanoke yesterday. Mr. Hart is  
thoroughly skilled in his business and  
his pictures of the Southwest show  
thorough execution.

A Memory of the Old South.

A memory of the South comes up in  
the announcement of a memorial ser-  
vice held yesterday afternoon for the  
late Allen J. Good, in the African  
M. E. church, Oyster Bay, L. I. The  
deceased was born a slave seventy  
years ago at Boydton, Va. When the  
war broke out he became a body-  
servant for Major-General Thomas  
Goode, of the Confederate army. Ten  
years ago he went North, and from  
that time until just before his death  
he was a trusted servant of the Messrs.  
Townsend, of Oyster Bay. He died  
while on a visit to his old home and  
was buried upon the old plantation on  
the banks of the Roanoke. Howlers  
on the race question never recall in-  
cidents of this kind.George Campbell, Hopkinsville, Ky.,  
says: Burdock Blood Bitters is the  
best preparation for the blood and  
tomach ever manufactured.

## PAN-AMERICAN

WILL BE INVITED TO ROAN-  
OKE NEXT MONTH.

INTERESTING MEETING LAST NIGHT

A Suggestion of the Times—It Will Be  
Carried Out—The Movers in the  
Scheme. A Committee to Wash-  
ington Tour Outlined.A number of prominent citizens of  
Roanoke met in the office of Mr. O.  
Howard Royer, general freight and  
passenger agent of the Shenandoah  
Valley railroad last night, and steps  
will be taken today to have the Pan-  
American Congress, now in Wash-  
ington, visit this city during their  
Southern tour in April.The Times last November, after the  
delegates had returned to Wash-  
ington from their northern and  
western trip, urged that  
they be invited to include Roanoke  
on their Southern tour, and inter-  
viewed a number of citizens about  
the matter, all of whom spoke favor-  
ably of the proposition.Mr. O. Howard Royer, assisted by  
Mr. F. H. Taylor, of Frank Leslie's,  
who was with the delegates on their  
former tour, have been working quiet-  
ly for several days to get Roanoke  
included in the list of Southern cities,  
and the city council, the board of  
trade and prominent citizens gener-  
ally, will formally extend the invita-  
tion in behalf of the city.About twenty-five delegates have  
thus far signified their intention of  
making the trip, and the list outside  
of the delegates of the United States  
will include representatives of the  
Argentine Republic, Bolivia, Brazil,  
Chile, Colombia, Guatemala, Hondu-  
ras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Peru, Salva-  
dore and Uruguay.The delegates will be under the  
charge of W. E. Curtis, of the Chi-  
cago News and secretary of the Con-  
gress, and the route will include New  
York, Newport News, Fortress Monroe,  
Richmond, Charleston, Portau, Savan-  
nah, Jacksonville, St. Augustine,  
Tampa, Pensacola, Mobile, New Or-  
leans, Birmingham, Nashville, Chat-  
tanooga and Knoxville.It is desired that the party stop in  
Roanoke on their return trip to  
Washington after leaving Knoxville,  
and every effort possible will be used  
to have them do so.Mr. Royer and Mr. F. H. Taylor  
will probably leave for Washington  
tonight to extend the city's invitation  
to the delegates. Mr. Royer, in be-  
half of the city, will also invite the delegates to inspect  
the beauties of Luray and the Natural  
Bridge.If it can possibly be arranged the  
delegates will undoubtedly visit Roan-  
oke and the citizens be given an op-  
portunity to entertain them in the  
style for which they are famous.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

Items of Interest on Various Subjects  
From All Parts of the State.Lynchburg expects to have a big  
hotel "some day" to cost \$200,000.It is estimated that the new census  
will give Virginia 2,000,000 inhabi-  
tants, the United States 63,000,000.A strange sight on the streets of  
Richmond is a woman riding horse-  
back man fashion, with skirts.The Western Lunatic asylum will  
be remodeled and additions made at  
a cost of \$20,000.The first train over the Farmville  
and Powhatan road has been run to  
Farmville.John P. Brock and Michael Thomas  
of New Market, Va., are in the city  
looking after real estate investments.Willie L. Dowell, of Gordonsville,  
Va., is in the city looking after his  
real estate interests.The Pocahontas Coal company  
shipped 310 cars of coal, which aggre-  
gated 7,300 tons on March 10th.A union station is to be built at  
Portsmouth, Va., by the Seaboard  
and Roanoke and Atlanta and Dan-  
ville companies.The two defective columns on the  
pedestal of the Lee monument will be  
removed and their places filled with  
pillars properly shaped.The Danville and New River rail-  
road people are rapidly replacing the  
old iron rails with improved steel  
rails.Colonel McCarty, who has been pros-  
pecting for a site for the large steel  
works, has definitely decided to  
locate one at Salem.There has been a split in the Vir-  
ginia Agricultural and Mechanical  
society over the acceptance of an  
amended charter granted by the legis-  
lature at its recent session.Tracklaying on the section of the  
South Atlantic and Ohio railroad,  
from Clinchport to Big Stone Gap,  
Wise county, thirty miles, is being  
pushed rapidly, and it is expected to  
have the work completed in a very  
short time.Norfolk county truckers have raised  
an immense cabbage crop this winter,  
but the total loss of the crop is now  
threatened. Owing to the continued  
warm weather all sorts of insects have  
swarmed in the fields and are now  
destroying the cabbage in every di-  
rection.Work was commenced on the Dan-  
ville, Mebane and Southern Railroad  
yesterday. Ground was broken at a  
point near Harrison Station, on the  
Atlantic and Danville. Nearly all the  
townships and counties in North Car-  
olina through which the road runs  
have voted a subscription.William P. Read, of Chincoteague  
Island, better known as "Old Read,"  
denies that he was victimized  
by green-goods swindlers in New  
York, as has been previously reported,  
and promises to give the public a  
correct account of his visit to New  
York in due time.The report of the House military  
committee in favor of an appropri-  
ation for a road to the national cem-  
etery at Yorktown, Va., says the cem-  
etery is one mile south of the landing  
at Yorktown and contains the remains  
of 2,183 Union soldiers, and is near the  
monument that commemorates the  
surrender of Cornwallis.The Rappahannock gold mines in  
Stafford, which have been idle for  
some time, are now being worked  
with renewed vigor and under exten-  
sive capital. A large lot of valuable  
machinery is being conveyed to the  
mines, to be used in developing them.  
The mines are owned by northern  
capitalists.Maj. Hancock Clark, who shot at  
Milton Randolph, has been expelled  
from the New York Southern society.

## THE OKLAHOMA BILL PASSED.

Congress Provides a Temporary Gov-  
ernment for the New Territory.

Special to the TIMES.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The house  
this afternoon passed the senate bill  
to provide for temporary government  
at Oklahoma. Bill as passed by the  
senate and house provides substan-  
tially two territorial forms of govern-  
ment, one for Oklahoma proper, the  
other for the Indian Territory.

## CUMBERLAND'S BOOM.

The Town Relieves Over Prospective In-  
dustries.CUMBERLAND, Md., March 13.—The  
Cambria Iron company have workmen  
now engaged in placing machinery in  
the large rolling mill here, leased re-  
cently from the Baltimore and Ohio  
Railroad company. It is thought oper-  
ations will begin April 1. The Cambria  
company will make here spring ma-  
chinery and plan steel and special  
shapes, such as were formerly made by  
their Gautier mills, now being rebuilt.It is expected that this city will ac-  
cept the offer of the Baltimore and Ohio  
to build extensive shops and machine  
improvements here, providing the loan  
of \$150,000 without interest be made by  
the city. Such a loan, it is said, can  
be negotiated by the city at a 4 per cent.  
rate, and the increase in prosperity  
of the place would soon justify the act.  
In fact, the town already feels good  
over its promised boom.The Pennsylvania Railroad.  
PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—Richard  
Vaux, the chairman of the annual  
meeting of the Pennsylvania railroad  
stockholders, has appointed the follow-  
ing committee to nominate a board of  
directors to be voted for at the election  
next Tuesday. The committee consists  
of Thomas C. Hood, Elias D. Kennedy,  
Henry Norris, William Wood, Charles  
Porter, John Cassels. The present board  
will be re-nominated, as there is no op-  
position. The \$3,000,000 of new stock  
authorized to be issued by the stock-  
holders will not be put out for some  
time. The directors have not yet dis-  
cussed the matter. It is believed a por-  
tion of the stock will be issued this  
spring.

## The Launch of the Newark.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Mr. Cramp  
is here arranging details for the launch-  
ing of the cruiser Newark on Wednes-  
day next. The naval committees of  
the house and senate have promised to  
attend. Miss Boutelle, daughter of the  
chairman of the house committee, will  
christen the new vessel. The president  
and the secretary of the navy are also  
expected to be present.A Small Boy's Powder Experiment.  
DENVER, Pa., March 13.—Horatio, a  
7-year-old son of Robert Mowry, of this  
place, secured a flask of powder from a  
closet and emptied its contents upon the  
hot kitchen stove. The result was a  
terrific explosion, and the boy's arms  
and face were frightfully burned. Both  
eyes are closed, and he will probably  
lose his sight.Turned His Weapon on Himself.  
BROOKLYN, March 13.—Ignatz Smith,  
a grocer of 47 Third avenue, while  
drunk attempted to shoot his wife. The  
woman grappled with him and suc-  
ceeded in defending herself until a police-  
man was summoned. On seeing the  
officer approaching, Smith released his  
wife and shot himself dead.The Susquehanna Rising.  
WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., March 13.—Tele-  
phone advices from Clearfield were to  
the effect that a snow storm had set in  
at that place and that the snow on the  
mountains was melting rapidly. The  
indications pointed to a flood, with the  
prospects of getting in a great deal of  
the stock of logs.Failure of a Retired Farmer.  
LANCASTER, Pa., March 13.—Judg-  
ments aggregating \$39,300 were en-  
tered against Peter S. Reist, a promi-  
nent retired farmer of Littleton. His  
total liabilities are estimated at \$70,000.  
He is the owner of much real estate,  
which may pay the indebtedness.